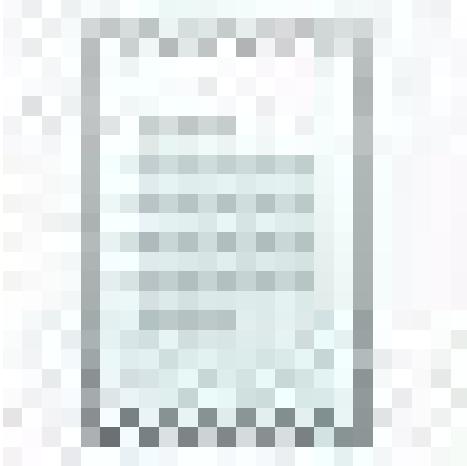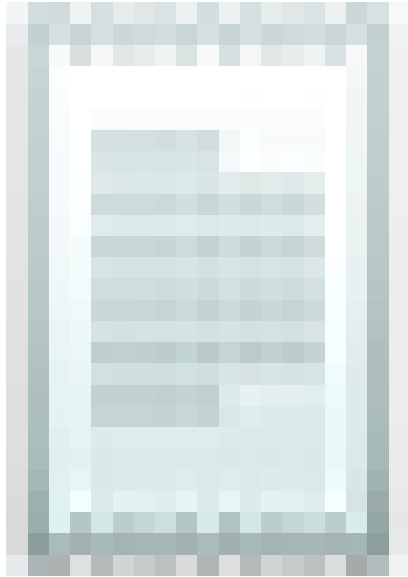# System Requirements

The system requirements are displayed on the **Recommended Settings** screen, which displays a list of the required components.

The following components must be present on your computer for DOE Portfolio Analysis and Management System (DOE PAMS) to operate:

	Browser:	A software application used to locate and display Web pages.
	JavaScript:	A scripting language developed by Netscape to enable Web authors to add dynamic content to Web sites.
	Screen Resolution:	The number of dots (pixels) on the entire screen. For example, a 640-by-480 pixel screen is capable of displaying 640 distinct dots on each of 480 lines.

	Cookie:	A message that a Web server gives to a Web browser. The browser stores the message in a text file. The message is then sent back to the server each time the browser requests a page from the server.
	Popup Blocker:	A software or application that disables any pop-up, pop-over, or pop-under window that you would see while using a Web browser.
	Date and Time:	The date and time properties set in the computer's memory.

	Active X:	A set of 'controls' (created by Microoft) that allows certain functions to be performed. Active X controls can be downloaded from the Internet.

See How Do I Fix My Settings? to adjust any settings that are incorrect.